

THE WEATHER
For Portsmouth
and vicinity—Fair Friday
and Saturday; not much
change in temperature;
light westerly winds.

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PRICE TWO CENTS.

WILLIAM C. LAWS
PASSES AWAY

Death the Result of Exposure
on the Morning of
Feb. 15.

William C. Laws of Newington, who had both hands and feet frozen early Sunday morning, February 14th while on his way home from this city, died at his home this morning shortly before 7 o'clock. At the time of the accident it was thought that the shock would prove fatal as Mr. Laws was a man well advanced in years. He was apparently improving, up to Thursday, when he relapsed into a semi-consciousness, and steadily failed. He is survived by a wife and one daughter. He was a member of Damon Lodge, No. 9, Knights of Pythias.

Strawberries direct from Florida, 40c
bushel, at Dede's.

WOULD TAKE OVER WATER WORKS

Many Citizens of York Favor Town
Acquiring Property of the York
Shore Water Company--Will
be Acted on at Town
Meeting

Many residents of York believe that
the town should own its water works
and a petition to take over the York

Shore Water Company will be acted
upon at the annual town meeting to
be held on Monday, March 8. The petition that has been circulated
by Ernest F. Hobson, has already
upwards of one hundred signatures.
Those who are in favor of taking over
the water works cite the fact that the
adjacent town of Kittery a few years
since acquired their water plant and
that the town has received good revenue
from the same. The town ownership
of water supplies is becoming
general in Maine, as well as in other
states and the following dispatch from
Farmington, Me., is of general interest
to the people of York who favor
the taking over of the water works. It
is as follows:

The old saying that there is nothing
sure in this world but death, and taxes
does not apply fully in Farmington,
for at the annual meeting of the
village corporation held here recently
it was reported that the income from the
municipal water system pays the entire expenses of
running the village, so that no taxes are
assessed. Farmington citizens are
considering an extension of the present
water system, and an adjourned
town meeting will be held on Tuesday,
February 17, for the purpose of
discussing that question.

It is said that Josiah Chase, who
owns the York Shore Water Company
will vigorously oppose the taking over
of the water plant by the town.

BASS' CANDY SALE

For tomorrow will be peanut brittle,
regular price, 50c a lb; this sale 35c a
lb. Also our special 35c chocolates for
20 cents.

PISCATAQUA SAVINGS BANK
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Get One of These Patterns Free This Week



This is Ladies' Home Journal Pattern Week,
and we are giving to every customer one of
these three stylish dresses.
When you come in for your pattern, be sure to
see the showing of Dress Materials suitable for making
up these Dresses, especially priced for this occasion.



GEORGE B. FRENCH CO.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

Will Be Held at Epping Town
Hall on March 6.

An Institute for teachers in connection
with the winter meeting of the
Rockingham County Teachers' Association,
under the direction of the State Department of Public Instruction
will be held at the town hall, Epping, on
Friday, March 6. The program is
as follows:

MORNING.
Section for Elementary Schools.
9:45. Reading—Mr. Harry A. Brown,
Deputy State Superintendent.
10:20. Story-Telling—Miss Lulu Pray,
of Portsmouth.
10:55. Nature and School Gardening—
Mr. George H. Whitcher, Deputy
State Superintendent.
11:30. Arithmetic—Mr. Brown,
Section for Secondary Schools.
9:45. Agriculture in the High School—
Mr. Frank H. Thurston, Principal
Portsmouth High School.
10:20. Reorganization of Science Teaching
in the Secondary School—Mr. Frank V. Hess, Principal Lebanon
High School.
10:55. The Mathematics of the Secondary
School—Mr. Henry C. Morrison, State Superintendent.
11:30. Suggestions for Practical Arts
Teachers with Special Reference to Commerce—Mr. Whitcher.

AFTERNOON.
General Session.

2:00. Teachers' Pensions—Miss Estelle
D. Farnham, Superintendent.

2:45. Fundamentals in the Educational
Process—Mr. Morrison.

3:30. Questions and Discussion.

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The President had been asked par-
ticularly about reports that Ameri-
can troops might be sent across the
border to recover the body of William
Denton, the British subject, recently
executed at Juarez, and concerning
public deputations that the United
States contemplated to guard the Amer-
ican embassy.

One press dispatch saying that Gen-
eral Huerta himself had stated today that
he had refused permission to the U.S. to send 2000 marines to Mexico City

was shown to President Wilson, who

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TO BE HELD IN THIS CITY

New Hampshire Peace Society
Favors New England Conference
Here in 1915.

Arrangements are to be made by
the New Hampshire Peace Society re-
garding to plans mapped out at the
meeting held Thursday in the Y. M.
C. A. Building of a New England
Peace Conference to be held in Ports-
mouth in 1915, the tenth anniversary
of the signing of the treaty of Ports-
mouth which settled the hostility
between Japan and Russia.

It was moreover voted to investigate
the question of whether the room
where the treaty was signed at the
Kittery navy yard was properly cured
for and to turn the matter up with
the representatives of New Hampshire
in Congress.

Resolutions are to be sent to the
Senators and representatives in Congress
concerning suspension of arm-
ament as far as practicable; favor-
able arrangements for a third Hague
conference, and favoring the repeal
of arbitration of the Panama Canal
question.

At the conclusion of the business a
talk was given by George H. Moses
on "The Prospects for Permanent
Peace in the Balkans."

The officers present were: President
Erroll Fox Nichols, president of
Dartmouth College; Vice-president
Leonard T. Philbrick, Derry; and
Secretary W. W. Thayer, Concord.

The meeting was presided over by
Leonard H. Philbrick of Derry.

AT THE TILTON DRUG CO.

We hold our annual candy sale Saturday.
All fancy packages at greatly
reduced prices: \$1. boxon, 75c; 50c
box, 50c; 60c box, 40c; and 50c
box, at 35c. Our 400 quality mixtures,
25c as usual. These prices are the
lowest ever offered on standard lines.

Obique fruit, direct from plantation
of N. A. Walcott, delicious fruit, 8c
for 2 lbs. at Dede's.

SUING FOR HALF THE PROPERTY

Case of Former Portsmouth Woman
in the Baltimore Court—Claim
Made on Deed 25 Years Ago

**KITTERY MAN
IN THE FIGHT**

Elmer J. Burnham a Candidate
for Registrar of Deeds
of York County.

Elmer J. Burnham of Kittery has
entered the campaign as a candidate
for register of deeds of York county,
and made his announcement in the
following letter:

Kittery, Me., Feb. 26, 1914.
On the advice and assurances of
support from my friends I have de-
cided to become a candidate in the
primaries for the Republican nomina-
tion for the Register of Deeds. If
the governor should make an appoint-
ment before June 1 I shall be a can-
didate for appointment for the un-
expired term of the late register, How-
ard Brackett.

If selected for the office I shall give
my careful attention and best efforts
to the faithful performance of the du-
ties thereof.

Very truly yours,

Elmer J. Burnham.

Mr. Burnham is a young lawyer, 29
years of age, and a graduate of Kittery
high school in the class of 1904,
and of the University of Maine. He
has practiced law in Kittery for six
years, served as superintendent of
schools four years and at the present
time is a selectman.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION Enjoys Pantomime Production of "Wanted, a Wife."

The Teachers' Association held a
most enjoyable social assembly on
Thursday evening, and was well at-
tended. An entertainment consisting
of a pantomime entitled, "Wanted, a
Wife," was impersonated by Miss
Woods, Miss Kirk, Mr. Collins and Mr.
Cheatum. Miss Smart read. A vocal
 solo was rendered by Miss Emma
 Foss. This was followed by games and
 light refreshments.

The social was in charge of the
Misses Hewitt, Pray, Fernal, Leigh-
 ton, Jenness and Kirk.

AT MUGRIDGE'S.

Fancy sirloin steak, 35c lb; lamb
steaks, 12½c lb; lamb chops, 18c lb;
lamb flanks, 10c lb; smoked shoulders,
14c lb; fancy bacon, (whole or half
strips), 10c lb; sugar cured ham
(whole or one half), 17c lb; fresh pig's
feet, 10c lb; lamb chops (the kind you
like), 16c lb; four cans of tomato soup,
25c; three cans of evaporated or
condensed milk, 25c; (see what the other
 fellow is getting); 3 bottles of pure
food ketchup for 25c; tall salmon, pink,
3 cans for 25c; evaporated apples, 3
lbs for 25c.

Three naval prisoners in charge of
two guards arrived here on the noon
train from New York.

PLANS READY FOR ARMORY

Gov. Felker Informs Mayor
Yeaton Work Will Be Com-
menced at Early Date.

Mayor Harry B. Yeaton has sent
Fred M. Sise, clerk of the Board of
Trade, a letter in which he states he
has received assurances from Governor
Samuel D. Felker that the plans and
specifications for the new state
armory in this city were all com-
pleted and that work would commence
when weather conditions would allow.

This would seem to indicate that
the city of Portsmouth was to have
an armory, notwithstanding the fact
that several well known persons have
of late lost a great amount of sleep
in their anxiety over the fate of the
new armory.

The city some time ago secured a
site for the armory off Court street
and the deed was forwarded to the
state.

NOTICE.

Mrs. B. F. Lombard wishes to an-
nounce to her patrons that she has
sold her millinery business on State
street to Mrs. E. M. Fisher. All in-
debted to Mrs. B. F. Lombard please
call at said store to settle all accounts
on or before March 1, and oblige.

MRS. B. F. LOMBARD.

ON AN EXTENDED TOUR.

Ernest L. Silver, principal of the
State Normal school at Plymouth, and
formerly superintendent of schools in
this city, leaves on Saturday for an
extended tour through the South, and

GREAT SALE OF LACE CURTAINS FOR ONE WEEK ONLY. SEE OUR WINDOW.

Were	Now
\$.35	\$.25
.78	.50
1.00	.75
.75	.50
1.50	1.00
2.98	1.98

We have hundreds of other bargains in Muslins, Drapes and Laces. One lot
special, of 1 and 2 pairs, to be closed out regardless of cost.

D. H. MCINTOSH, COR. FLEET & CONGRESS STS.

New Spring and Summer Wash Goods

Mercerized Poplin in all
the new colorings; also
black and white; at yard,
only 12½c

The new Ratynelle in the
following colors: Pink,
pale blue, tan, cadet,
brown, also white; at yard,
only 19c

Fancy Pique in all the new
colors; this is a new cloth
for this season's wear; spec-
ial at yard 15c

L. E. Staples, Market St.

Fancy Figured Beauty
Crepe, 9 different styles;
very special, at yard. 10c

Economy Crepe, in the fol-
lowing plain colors: Old
rose, tan, cadet, lavender,
pink, pale blue, also white;
at yard 10c

Figured Ratine Striped
Crepe, white ground with
colored floral effects; at
yard 15c

PLAYED BALL BEFORE KING GEORGE

London, Feb. 26.—Three hearty American cheers and a tiger was the welcome given by the baseball team to King George on his arrival today on the Chelsea football grounds to witness the game between the New York team, representing the National League, and the Chicago team, representing the American League.

The players were grouped immediately in front of the Royal box and the rattle of the hurrahs evidently immensely pleased the royal sportsman who repeatedly bowed his acknowledgment.

The King was accompanied by Walter H. Page, United States Ambassador, and a full staff of the American embassy, as well as a large suite of court officials.

The Ambassador introduced Charles A. Comiskey, Joseph Farrell, and James J. Callahan, with all of whom the King shook hands.

The members of the American colony made a holiday for the occasion and were present in great force among the 5000 or 6000 spectators.

All branches of British sports were largely represented. Many of the leading cricket and football players were on the ground taking keen notice of all the points of the game.

The Earl of Lansdale and Baron Desborough, both of whom are prominent in sporting circles, were among the many titled personages surrounding the King.

The White Sox won the game, beating the Giants, 5 to 4.

LORD DESBOROUGH'S VIEW

He Praised Baseball at Banquet to Tourists and Spoke Glowing of Relations With America.

London, Feb. 26.—Lord Desborough

G. LACY CRAWFORD DEAD

He Was Part Owner of the St. Louis National League Team and Was 43 Years Old.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 26.—G. Lacy

Crawford, part owner of the St. Louis National, died at his home here today from a throat affection. He was 43 years old.

RUBS PAINS FROM SORE, LAME BACK

Rub Backache away with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Back Hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now listen! That's lumbago, sciatica, or maybe from a strain and you'll get instant relief the moment you rub your back with something penetrating St. Jacobs' OIL! Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Stiffen up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints, and has been recommended for sixty years.

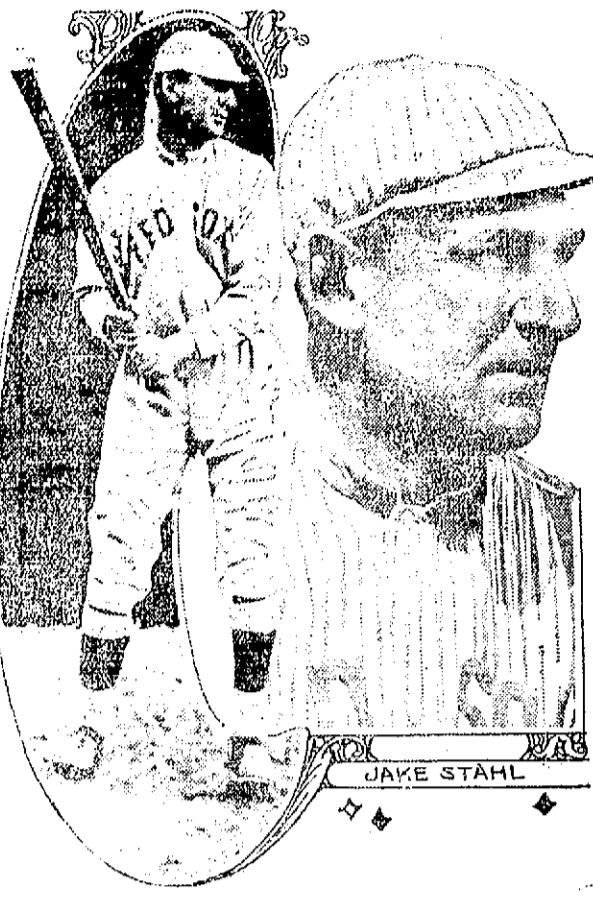
BRUHN TO HAVE RETURN MATCH

Will Appear With Cyclone Burns in Wrestling Bout Here.

Coming to the United States, George Bruhn, who was invited to wrestle Cyclone Burns here next Monday, was caught in his boat in the ten weeks' day a change will have to be made in the program. Standoff, who has the beautiful title of the "American Greek," was injured in the second fall of his match and his shoulder is so stiff he will be out of the game for some weeks.

In his place Hendrik Brulin, the German light heavy weight who put up such a great exhibition with Burns some weeks ago, has been secured. He was very anxious to get a return match with Burns and a hard battle should be looked for.

Stahl Won't Manage Brooklyn Team for New Federal League



Jake Stahl, who managed the world's champion in 1912, declined to manage the Brooklyn team of the new Federal League. Stahl, when he was with the Boston Red Sox, was considered one of the best first basemen in the game and a plucky man in fighting for his team. The Peds tried to get him to take Brooklyn, but he firmly turned the offer down.

DEMAND STATE BE REPRESENTED

Governor and Council Pass Resolution on New Haven Separation.

Concord, Feb. 26.—A resolution was adopted at the meeting of Governor Samuel Felker and council this afternoon demanding that the State of New Hampshire have a representation of the board of trustees be appointed to bring about the dissolution of the Boston & Maine and the New Haven railroads.

It says:

"Whereas the State of New Hampshire is vitally interested in the Boston & Maine railroad and its leased lines, and

"Whereas, the traveling public is concerned with the service rendered by the railroad and a very large number of stockholders are residents of New Hampshire, and

"Whereas, more miles of railroad are operated by the Boston & Maine management within the State of New Hampshire than in any other state, therefore,

"Be it resolved by the Governor and council of the State of New Hampshire, that said state should be given adequate representation upon any board of trustees which may be appointed to control the Boston and stock owned by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad."

The following nominations were made before adjournment: Jra. S. Plains, justice of the Troy district police court; J. Ray Parker of Stewart's town, special justice of the Colebrook district police court.

A part of the time this morning was devoted to hearing of parties from Temple, who ask that the route of the state highway be through Temple village. The route was established at the last meeting over 14 to Temple mountain. A meeting is to be held on March 32.

BOWLING

City League

There was some fast bowling at the Arcadia alleys on Thursday evening in the City League schedule. The principal battle was between team No. 2 and team No. 1, and the former won by two pins. Adams was high with 307 for a total after a bad start.

Team No. 3 defeated team No. 4 by 14 pins. The scores:

Team No. 2

Adams 32 142 113 307
Elongsbury 30 97 95 273
Wilson 34 116 92 292

247 323 297 873

Team No. 1

Welsh 102 79 111 292
Burch 33 94 97 274
Stilleon 38 87 119 301

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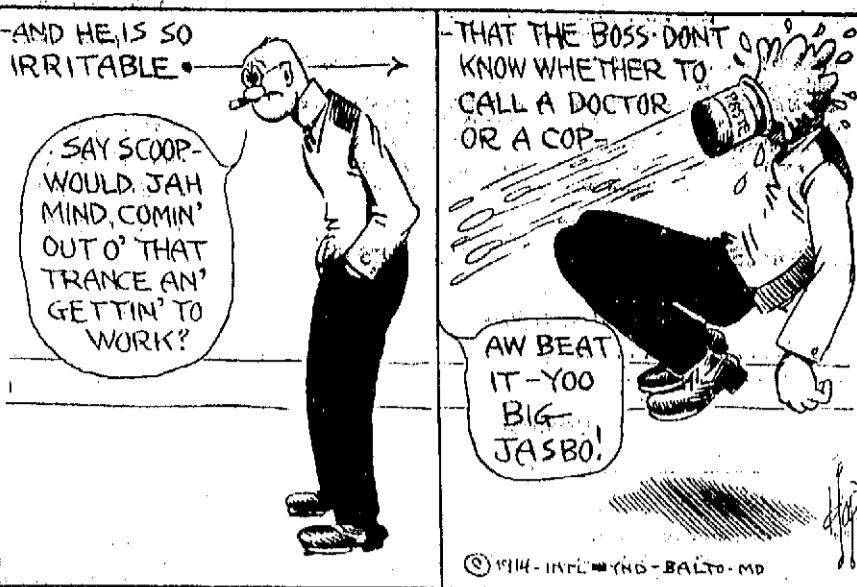
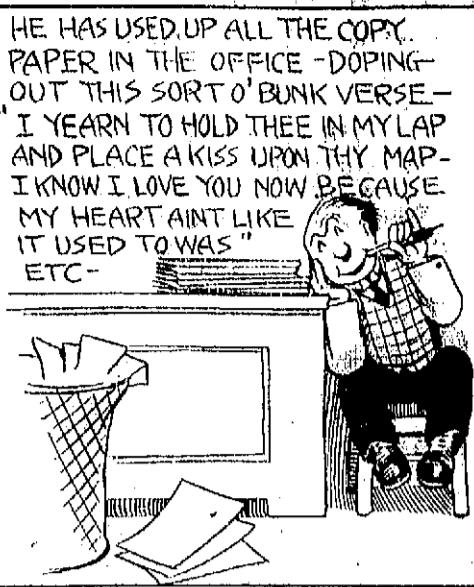
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HAVE AGREED ON EVERYTHING EXCEPT DURATION OF TRUSTEES

Washington, Feb. 26.—After weeks of work on the part of railroad officials and attorneys of the Department of Justice, the plan for the separation of the Boston and Maine and the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroads was laid today before Atty. Gen. McReynolds.

Until today the Attorney General had taken no active part in the framing of the segregation agreement, but confided the department's policy to T. W. Gregory and Jesse C. Adkins, assistants in the case. They conferred with Howard Elliott, chairman of the New Haven board, and counsel for the road.

The two department lawyers hoped to receive Mr. McReynolds' approval of five trustees and of the details of a separation which will put the Boston and Maine out of the hands of the New Haven. It was generally agreed today that the number of trustees should be five, but the two sides were unable to get together before the conference with the Atto-

ney General about their length of service.

The trustee will be charged with the disposition of the Boston and Maine stock now owned by the New Haven and through the control of which they will conduct the affairs of the Maine road. New Haven officials were anxious that the trustees should be given as long a time as possible in which to get rid of this stock without loss to the railroad, but Department attorneys hold the trusteeship period should be comparatively short.

FOREST NOTES

The state of New York has just published a comprehensive report of its wood-using industries.

Canada has a society of forest engineers. Dr. B. E. Fermor, of Toronto, is president, and Mr. F. W. H. Jaeger, of Ottawa, is secretary.

Of the three Pacific coast states, Oregon and Washington far outstrip

California in the work done by private owners for forest protection.

The development of quicksilver mines promises to make large demand for cordwood and construction timbers on the Tonto national forest, Ariz.

Manufacturers of greenhouses and makers of boxes are getting in touch so that the latter may use for box clients the cypress waste from the greenhouses.

Lodgepole pine seed grown broadcast on the snow in southern Idaho last spring germinated when the snow melted, and as many as 60 little trees were counted to the square foot. The summer was so dry, however, that most of the plants died, except where sheltered by brush or logs.

ATLANTIC SHIPPING POOL RE-NEWED FOR FIVE YEARS

Hamburg, Germany, Feb. 26.—The Continental shipping pool in which the Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd lines are the principal parties concerned, was renewed today for a period of five years, all the questions in dispute between the companies engaged in the transatlantic trade having been settled.

HUGE METEORITE DESTROYS MANY HOUSES IN POLAND

Warsaw, Russian Poland, Feb. 26.—A number of houses were destroyed by a huge meteorite which descended today in the village of Jendkovitz, in the Polish province of Kielce. The meteorite emitted sulphurous fumes.

TWO HUNDRED RESPOND TO ROLL CALL

Osgood Lodge, I. O. O. F., Have Largest Meeting For Years—Old Members Take Part—Banquet.

One of the largest attended and most successful roll calls in the long history of the Osgood Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F., was held on Thursday evening. It was a remarkable enthusiasm the meeting and none found more pleasure than the old members, who turned out in large numbers.

There were over two hundred men here who answered to their name, in person and many of the older members delighted the younger element with their amazing reminiscences of the early days of the lodge. In addition there were many responses by letter, one coming from Mr. Carlyle Clark of Brussels, Belgium, who sent his greetings to the lodge.

Many of the members who are living in other places came back for this reunion and they were present from Haverhill, Lynn, Dover and other places.

In the course of the evening the younger element of the lodge were heartily congratulated on their fine work in keeping up the lodge, on that today it is one of the largest and most prosperous lodges in the entire state.

The new Osgood Lodge quartette rendered several pleasing selections. Two applications were received and two referred at the business meeting.

Following the work adjournment was taken to the banquet hall where supper was served. The menu was:

Cold Ham, Cold Turkey
Hot Mashed Potatoes
Escaloped Oysters
Roux and Olives
Ice Cream, Cake
Coffee, Cigars

The committee who successfully handled the entire affair was: Noble Grand, George E. Cox; Vlee Grand, Harry W. Vennard; Recording Secretary, Charles H. Kehoe; Past Grandpa, Joshua M. Farrell, Israel M. Schurman, William G. Drew, William F. Tilton, Walter Mason and Messrs. Perley D. Hersey, Edward H. Riley and Frank Willard.

QUAKE SHOCK RECORDED

Lasted 17 Minutes, is Report of Rev. Fr. Odenbach, S. J., of St. Ignatius School at Cleveland.

Cleveland, Feb. 26.—The observatory at St. Ignatius School here recorded an earthquake shock last night. Rev. Fr. Fred Odenbach, S. J., who is in charge of the seismographic instruments, said today that the tremors began at 11:08 p. m., and continued until 11:25 p. m., reaching their maximum at 11:16 p. m. He says they were not severe but appeared to be not far distant.

PAPAL COINS

The first pope to issue coins was Adrian I, who ascended the papal throne in 771. The emperors of Europe were then largely modeled on those of the Byzantine Empire, whose gold byzants were in general use. The coin of Pope Adrian was of this class, says the *Catholic Record* of London, Ont. It showed a full face portrait, presumably of St. Peter, on the obverse, surrounded by the inscription: "Hadrianus P. IV" and the cross on the reverse, very much after the style of the Byzantine pieces.

Many of the earlier papal coins bear the inscription of the reigning pope and a representation of either St. Peter or St. Paul. It was not until later that the portrait of the reigning pope became a characteristic of these coins.

A gold scudo of Julius II may have been mentioned, the design of which is credited to Fra Angelico, a celebrated metal worker of the time, which shows a finely engraved portrait of the pope with the inscription: "Julius Pontifex Maximus."

A coin of Alexander VI attributed to Paolo, has on the reverse the crossed keys and crown. This is said to be the first papal coin to bear this device.

The greatest value of the series of papal coins and medals is that it forms a metallo history of the popes since the eighth century and contains the only authentic portraits in existence of many of them.

They have of course a special interest for the numismatists, but the everything pertaining to the Holy See have a still deeper and wider interest.

for the student and the historian.

GETTING READY FOR AUTO SHOW

The managers of the Portsmouth Motor Mart Garage are busy clearing out all of the cars out of the Fleet street building in preparation for the auto show which will be held next week. The cars are being hauled to the Vaughan street garage of the same company. All of the dealers will take part in the show, and it is expected that there will be a large gathering of spectators.

T. H. Washburn was elected an alternate to the National Convention at the meeting of the New Hampshire State Association of Ass'd. Postmen held in Boston recently.

SOUTH GETTING LATE SNOW

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 26.—The snow fall in Columbia and its vicinity reached a total of 14.7 inches last night, surpassing all records of the local weatherureau.

Business was suspended today, schools were closed, and not a street car moved. Snow is reported from nearly every section of the state, the heaviest fall in 20 years being reported in some localities.

John H. Galloway of Langdon street is today quietly observing another anniversary of his birth.



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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, February 27, 1914.

Complaint Seems Well Based.

Some of the railroads are complaining that the government is subjecting them to an injustice by requiring them to carry the mails at the old rate of pay after the work has been greatly increased by the introduction and development of the parcel post. The president of the Minneapolis and St. Louis railroad has notified the postmaster general that this road and others with which he is connected will refuse to carry the mails unless the question of pay is adjusted on a satisfactory basis, and there are other roads which feel the same way, though they have not stated their cases so strongly.

That the parcel post has greatly increased the bulk and weight of the mails everybody knows, and unless the railroads have been overpaid by the government for their services in the past, it would seem that they are entitled to some increase in view of the additional work they are called upon to do under present conditions.

According to a dispatch from Washington, there is no law compelling railroads to carry the mails, but the postmaster general has recommended the passage of an act subjecting them to a fine of \$5,000 a day for refusing to perform this service. That would doubtless be effective, but would it be just?

No legislation should be necessary in the adjustment of this difference, at least until everything in the way of fair dealing has been tried. It is purely a business proposition, and with both sides disposed to be fair there should be no trouble in coming to a satisfactory agreement on a purely business basis.

The mails must be carried and it is the business of the railroads to carry them. They should be willing, and undoubtedly are willing, to carry them at reasonable rates, and the government is able, and should be willing, to compensate them fairly. Whatever its legal rights and powers may be, it has no moral right to compel service by the railroads without adequate compensation. To do otherwise would be an act of confiscation, and it is not to be believed that the United States is ready to take this step, as unnecessary as it would be unjust.

It is not to be expected that any railroad will go so far as to refuse to carry mail under any circumstances, and that the government will grant them a fair deal it is reasonable to assume. Any other course would lack the support of public opinion, without which even the federal government would be impotent.

It is hoped that with the great experience and prestige of Senator Gallinger and with the democratic influence of Senator Hollis the Portsmouth navy yard may get its fair share this year when the naval bill reaches the Senate. Our senators may well demand that building ways be provided in this year's bill. There is no reason why the bill for a new dock, introduced by the senior senator, should not become a law. It will if both senators, with Maine, join hands. It is only giving Portsmouth what belongs to her—the replacing of dry dock No. 1, which was destroyed through incompetence. Restore dry dock No. 1 to service by passing the Gallinger bill. This is the time to make the fight—not next year. And Secretary Daniels should make good his promise to help Portsmouth.

It is announced that William Sulzer, the deposed governor of New York, has instituted legal proceedings to test the validity of his impeachment. This raises it to the status of an important murder case and when the end will be no man can tell, but it will probably terminate a long time before Mr. Sulzer is again governor of the Empire State.

When the young people of a New England city were compelled by the police to strip the hall of its cornstalk decorations before entering upon the enjoyment of a "Rube" ball, because of the inflammability of the decorations, they felt more like "Rubes" than at any other time since the inception of the "function."

The proposal to make former President Taft, a Unitarian, the head of Lafayette college, a Presbyterian institution, shows how fast liberality in religious views is spreading in this country. But it is a question whether it has spread fast enough and far enough to make room for such a step as this.

A movement is on foot to regulate the sale of bichloride of mercury, the use of which in mistake for medicine has cost many lives. It is a danger against which sensible people should be able to protect themselves, but failure to do this is so general that it may be time for the law to step in.

Secretary Redfield is a generous sharer of the president's optimism and sees marked improvement in industrial and commercial conditions. It is a good way to feel, and without doubt there is some basis for the cheerful view taken by Mr. Redfield.

Now for a temporary lessening of social activities. In view of the pace traveled in the present age, the rest season afforded by Lent is none too long.

General Felix Diaz In America On Important but Secret Mission.



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With the arrival of General Felix Diaz in the United States interest was attached to his movements. The nephew of the former dictator of Mexico landed in New York just a year after the ten day battle in Mexico City which he led against President Madero and which resulted in Madero's overthrow and the sudden launching of the Huerta regime. It was reported that Diaz was in America to strengthen his finances until such time as it was safe for him to return to his native land. He kept his motive secret. He is shown in the picture on the left with his secretary.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham recently recorded in the Registry of Deeds:

Candia—Henry C. Wilson to Addie P. Wilson, land and buildings, \$1.—George W. and Jessie D. Bean to Henry P. Reynolds, Manchester, land and buildings, \$1.—Frederick W. Reynolds, to William Frost, Winthrop, Mass., land, \$1.—Josephine Horne to Cornelius H. Emerson, land, \$1.—Last grantor to Preston A. Lyford, land and buildings, \$1.—Frederick W. Reynolds to Leslie Rye—Patrick J. Flanagan, Portsmouth, to Willard A. and Bertha W. Trefethen, land, \$1.—Salem—Jenelle Webster to Annie A. Brown, Haverhill, land and buildings, \$1.—Lizzie Emerson to Oren E. and Ada E. Sutherland, land, \$1.—Administrator of estate of William W. Smith to George Ellis, Lawrence, land and buildings, \$2000.—Administrator of estate of Ella G. Luther to Ella A. Moore, Foxboro, Mass., rights in certain premises, \$2200.

Seabrook—Administrator of estate of Lucia A. Greeley to John D. Greeley, rights in certain premises, \$150.—Windham—Margaret Allen to George W. Tucker, both of Lawrence, land, \$1.

LOCAL DASHES.

For best results, try a Want Ad. Come to Portsmouth during the auto show. It will certainly interest you.

Just arrived, lot of Elephant brand oranges, the best in the market, largest size, all for 25¢ a dozen at Dede's.

One naval prisoner was discharged this morning from the naval prison and left for his home in the Middle West.

Frank H. Ellis of York Beach has just awarded the contract to move the house owned by Patrick J. Flanagan.

Londonderry—Ethel K. Cosey to John C. Bleckford, both of Manchester, land, \$1.—Lucy A. Twiss et al. to Uiram N. Cross, land, \$10, deeded in 1892.—Auris Grain and Lumber Com-

pany to Richard Merrill, land, \$1.—Mary E. Wheeler to Wilbur H. Vaughn, land, \$15.

Plaistow—Horace M. Hills et al. to Annie F. Fuller, land, \$1.

Portsmouth—Frederick P. O'Brien to Joseph D. Cornelius, land and buildings on State street, \$1.

Rye—Patrick J. Flanagan, Portsmouth, to Willard A. and Bertha W. Trefethen, land, \$1.

Salem—Jenelle Webster to Annie A. Brown, Haverhill, land and buildings, \$1.—Lizzie Emerson to Oren E. and Ada E. Sutherland, land, \$1.—Administrator of estate of William W. Smith to George Ellis, Lawrence, land and buildings, \$2000.—Administrator of estate of Ella G. Luther to Ella A. Moore, Foxboro, Mass., rights in certain premises, \$2200.

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BRIDGE PROJECT MEETS APPROVAL

Correspondent Says Subject
Should Surely Be
Probed.

Editor Daily Herald:
Dear Sir—We have seen and read with the deepest of interest, and an astonishment approaching wonder, the picture and description of a most novel bridge, apparently actually spanning the Piscataqua from near the centre of our city to Badger's Island.

From what we have learned of the picture-taking art, surely, the Herald cut could have been produced originally only from a photograph, and how this could be taken with no such structure over our river, or even, as asserted in the description, within our "Western Hemisphere," is beyond us to conceive.

That the structure itself is new to the world is verified by the fact that we have examined every cut and description of bridge, from a few hundred years before the Christian era down to the present century, and nothing approaching the Herald cut and description can be found within their folds.

Surely, neither our states of Maine and New Hampshire, or our counties of York and Rockingham, and still less the City of Portsmouth and the town of Kittery have any need whatever of a bridge for steam transportation, but we do have great and pressing desire for all other means of quick, free and direct passage over our river, and so far as it is possible yet to foresee, the Herald's suggestion seems to meet at the very least possible cost, every objection hitherto possible to raise against the bridging of our river at Portsmouth.

The hitherto admitted unsurmountable difficulties of bridging the Piscataqua so near the ocean seems to have been literally thrown into the discard by this new and novel structure. It can be constructed just where it can be most useful and most needed. The National Government could offer no objection on the score of navigation obstruction; and inasmuch as it would supply, as it appears, every want and need of an electric railroad, who could so well afford to bear a large portion of the expense, as well as every demand made by the public of two countries, it might not be time wasted to give this apparent valuable project a little of our time and thought, in the form of an exhaustive enquiry.

It found as novel and new, and as efficacious and economical in cost and maintenance as claimed, and as we confess appears, the subject matter, as well as the means, should surely be probed.

The Herald surely owes its many readers and our whole interested public more information and further details upon the subject matter now, more than ever in the public mind.

O. L. FRISBEE,
Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 27, 1914.

WILL NOT LAND ARMED FORCE

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said it was absolutely untrue that any such request had been made. He added that neither Charge O'Shaughnessy nor anyone else had been authorized to discuss with the Huerta government the landing of American marines in Mexico.

Administration officials expressed the opinion that General Huerta probably inspired the statement about the American marines at this time merely for effect upon the Mexican people, whom he hoped to impress with his sympathy to the American government, as it is well known that permission to land marines for garrisoning has been freely accorded by Huerta to other nations including Great Britain and Germany.

The President explained to inquirers that the talk of sending marines

to Mexico had never got beyond the stages of mere discussion among administration officials.

He said that when Great Britain and Germany sent marines to Mexico City to guard their legations through the United States was appraised in advance of the step and offered no objections there was a natural disposition here to determine whether the American government should take similar action.

CURRENT OPINION

Butterfly Type of Girl of
Today Natural Product of
This Money Grabbing Age.

The present feminist movement has given us a rebellious generation of young girls, and in this modern type, which has thus been evolved, there are two distinct divisions. I should call them the busy bee type and the butterfly type. The former rebels because it wants greater responsibilities; the latter rebels because it wants no responsibilities at all.

The first is the type of girl called out by the highest qualities in the feminist movement. She is seeking greater freedom in life and in outlook because she is dissatisfied with being simply a parasite.

The butterfly type, which is more advertised, is physically more alluring. This girl is the child of luxury and excitement, quick to take from every other woman a trick of glance or gesture, an enticing line of dress, a subtlety of attack or an attracting defense. There lurks a certain mystery in her smile, a challenge in her eyes. No longer does she look away, but directly at a man, yet she manages to convey a provoking idea of resistance.

Perhaps the most noticeable characteristic she has acquired in her pursuit of pleasure is her smile, which is half self satisfaction and half an alert, amused audacity.

Frankly, I think this type is a dangerous one, especially if it is idealized in the manner of certain popular writers of fiction who seek only to flatter her vanity. More politic it is, seemingly, to flatter the young lady. But what she needs is to be told the truth bluntly and even brutally.

It is not that I blame her so much as her antecedents and the conditions that surround her. She is the natural product of the money grabbing type of man and the woman who is a social climber.—Owen Johnson, Author.

to Mexico had never got beyond the stages of mere discussion among administration officials. He said that when Great Britain and Germany sent marines to Mexico City to guard their legations generally that the idea of a partition of Mexico had been absolutely rejected and disavowed by them, and that their main aim in the revolution was to redeem Mexico from the stain which had been put upon it.

On the Benton episode the President had little information to reveal beyond what has already been published. He said the United States government was slowly finding out the details, that its course in the meantime must necessarily be a patient one. No reply had been received to the request for the surrender of Benton's body, and for information as to where the grave was located, or as to whether a British representative would be permitted by the American consul and an army surgeon when the body was exhumed for examination. The failure to answer these re-

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OBSEQUIES

William F. Kimball

William F. Kimball, aged 79 years, died at the home of Mrs. Simon P. Harmon this Friday morning. He was a native of Bar Mills, Me., and leaves two daughters, Mrs. Harmon of this city, and Mrs. Chester Langdon of Kittery.

Mrs. Amanda M. Jeffison
The funeral services of Mrs. Amanda M. Jeffison, widow of Alvan Jeffison, were held at the Methodist church on Miller avenue on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Lyle L. Gaither officiating. The body was placed in Nickerson's joint, the pall bearers being George D. Chadwick, M. H. Bell, Herman C. Twombly, Richard Bridge.

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The Crescent Club which is composed of popular young ladies of Rye, held a most enjoyable card and dancing party at Rye Town Hall on Thursday evening. A large number were in attendance, about twenty tables being in play. Mr. Jason Loske was awarded the gentleman's favor, a feather menu pad, and Miss Jennie C. Drake captured the ladies' favor, a silver bon bon dish. The consolation favor fell to Mrs. Wilmot MacLean.

At intermission refreshments of coffee and cakes were served. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight, when late cars conveyed the attendees to this city and North Hampton. Many were present from Greenland, North Hampton and Portsmouth.

Entertaining music was furnished by Hoyt and Rowe.

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KITTERY

Breezy Items From the Village Across the River.

Don't miss the "colored musical" tonight at Kittery Grange at Grange hall. Ten cents admission.

Mrs. Charles Adams of Rogers road is confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. Ernest Peabody and daughter Doris, are in town for the week-end, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Trafton of Love lane.

Miss Jeanette King of the Navy Yard left today for a visit with relatives in Newport, R. I.

Several social events are scheduled for this evening.

Alfred Googins of Rogers road is passing a few days at his former home in Biddeford.

At the meeting of York Rebekah Lodge last evening three candidates were initiated, and one taken in by card. Following the work a social hour was observed.

Miss Maud Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cole of South Elliot, and Mr. Frank Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Moore of Kittery Depot, were united in marriage last evening by Rev. A. J. Hayes at the Methodist parsonage. They will reside with the groom's parents for the present.

Hon. A. Safford of Government street is reported as being ill.

Canton Hayes, P. M., holds a regular meeting tonight at Odd Fellows' hall.

The warrant for the annual town meeting on March 9 has been posted in the several postoffices in town and contains thirty-nine articles.

Mrs. Josephine Bartlett of Elliot passed Thursday in town as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Trafton of Love Lane.

Mrs. George E. Smart was the guest on Thursday of Mrs. William Smart of Portsmouth.

Large placards are displayed in conspicuous places announcing that Sunday, March 8th, will be observed by the local churches as "Everybody-at-church" Sunday.

The first of Trapp Academy was at half past ten in honor of the late Joshua L. Chamberlain, former governor of Maine, and a close friend of the late Dr. Mark F. Wentworth.

The Phoebe's will hold the next regular meeting on March 6th at the Second Christian vestry. The meeting will be in the form of a social, and all attending are requested to wear a

costume representing some "Mother Goose" character.

Master Herbert Googins who has been seriously ill is reported greatly improved.

PRINCE'S SANITARY MARKET.

Bacon by strip.....	15c lb.
Meat forces lamb.....	15c lb.
Pork joints.....	15c lb.
Smoked shoulders.....	15c lb.
3 cans Van Camp soups.....	25c
20 lbs. sugar and 1-2 lb. tea.....	\$1.15
3 Lipton's jelly tablets.....	25c
Blue Label Cutsup.....	25c
3 cans corn.....	25c
3 lbs. pilot bread or soda crackers.....	25c
3 pkgs. mince meat.....	25c
Naval oranges.....	25c
7 bars Lenox soap.....	25c
Spinach.....	the pt.

RYE NEWS

The regular meeting of Rye Grange will be held in the Town Hall this evening.

Clap Solo—Miss Mildred L. Rand

Essay, "Hygiene and Home Sanitation"—Miss Norma M. Shapley.

Paper, "Home nursing—Prevention of disease"—Miss Emily M. Phillips.

Essay, "Control of Environment"—Miss Clara A. Parsons.

Discussion, "Activities in town and school—warrant"—John D. Marston, Fred D. Parsons, Willard Jenness, Charles M. Romlek.

Refreshments and social hour, in charge of Sisters Mary F. Locke, Lillian Goss, Neillie R. Philbrick, and Kate M. Varrall.

This is a "Health" meeting.

Superintendent Becker of the East Meadow Well Drilling Company completed his work in Rye and moved his machine to Lee, this state.

Mrs. Goodwin Perkins entertained the Ident Club and the husbands and friends of the members at her residence at Rye Beach Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Philbrick entertained at cards at their home on Rye Harbor road Monday evening. Orrville Varrall won first prize and Mrs. William Locke received the consolation.

Miss Mildred Rand was a recent visitor in Boston.

Misses Agnes and Inez Swenson have returned from a visit to Boston. Gilman Garland of Knowles' Corner is confined to his home by illness. George Philbrick of Cable road is visiting in Salem, Mass.

Miss Jennie Philbrick has returned to Salem, Mass., after spending the holidays as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Philbrick.

Messrs. Arthur and George Drew, have returned to Saugus, Mass., after spending several days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Randall of Rye Harbor.

PORTSMOUTH THEATRE PROGRAMME

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

"Lincoln the Lawyer"—Vitagraph drama.

An untold story of the great President. A beautiful and touching Vitagraph life portrayal by Ralph Ince, the greatest of all Lincoln impersonators.

"The Dilemma"—Biograph drama.

The wife's first husband is a dissolute fellow. He deserts her and she wedds the candidate for governor, then her first husband reappears. What happens?

"ACT—Kershaw & Ivens, Scotch Comedy by Singing and Talking."

"Vaccinating a Village"—Kalem comedy.

The young doctor tells his rival and the girl they have smallpox. This starts a scare. As funny as a comedy can be.

"ACT—Valley Forge Four Comedy, Singing Quartette."

"Beating Their Board Bill"—Biograph comedy.

"No pay, no eats" was the motto of the widow Jane.

"The Faddists"—Biograph Comedy on the same reel.

He took a ten dollar bill from every wife and then expounded the great religion.

"The Indian Ambuscade"—Kalem drama.

A terrible hand-to-hand battle between red-skinned and immigrants and Indian maid's great quest for vengeance, are two of the powerful incidents of this film.

"SPECIAL Monday and Tuesday—Pickles, Art and Sauerkraut"—Vitagraph, 2 parts. Featuring Mr. Sidney Drew. The screamest sergeant ever thrown on a screen. Don't miss it!

Matinee 2:35. Evening 7:00 Saturday Evening 8:45.

Come Early.

INCOME TAX NOTICE

Collector S. W. Jones for the District of New Hampshire, at Portsmouth, has received a telegram from Honorable Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington stating that income and corporation tax returns due March 1st, must be filed with collectors of internal revenue, not later

than March 2, in order to avoid the prescribed penalties, unless an extension has been granted on account of absence or sickness.

All persons, corporations affected should govern themselves accordingly, as this notice is given the widest possible publication.

EIGHTY YEARS OLD TODAY

Railroad Men Extend Greetings to Former Supt. Daniel W. Sanborn.

the new gunboat will have her home port here, but will go in commission at the League Island station. The other assignments are the ironclad, Montana, North Carolina, Tennessee, Washington, Del. Moines, Nashville, Petrel, San Francisco, Tacoma, Wheeling, Eagle, Hamblin, Heceta, Leuntlet, Miss. Paducah, Vicksburg, Don Juan de Austria, (2) Dubuque, Ophir, Pemicoat, Southwicks, Spokane.

Held at New Orleans.

The transport Hinecock, with 1000 marines aboard, did not leave New Orleans on Thursday for Pensacola, Fla., as previously ordered, but was held there indefinitely by orders from Washington. The marines were taken to New Orleans from Panama for the Mallory Gunboat celebration and are fully equipped for field service.

Outside Studies at Night.

The naval officers and scientists who are engaged at the naval observatory at Washington in determining the difference of longitude between Washington and Paris, are obliged to spend six hours out of doors in their studies of the stars.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

In a Class by Himself

Editor of The Herald: I read in The Herald recently a communication signed "Observer" in which the writer objects to the Frank P. Perea Veteran Firemen's Association occupying the old armory on Court street, when it is vacated by the First Company, C. A. C. Many of our best citizens and tax payers are in favor of having the veterans located close approximately to the Central Station so that they can render

useful aid to the permanent men as they have done many times in the past. The opposition to our occupying the armory coming from the source it does seems rather unusual, and I am beginning to think that this would-be writer, who never sees anything good in either the rules of the regular firemen or the veterans, is in a class by himself and should devote his spare moments to the welfare of the department, including the veterans' organization, instead of continually knocking.

ACTIVE VETERAN.

Marine Corps Orders

Major General Commandant W. P. Biddle transferred to the retired list. G. Barnett commissioned a major-general commandant.

Vessel Movements

The Tequimich has arrived at Norfolk.

The Saseola at Key West.

The Maryland has sailed from San Diego for Mare Island.

The Standish from Annapolis for Baltimore.

The Patuxent from Port au Prince for Guantnamo.

The Louisiana, Kansas, New Hampshire and Michigan from Guantnamo bay for exercises at sea.

The Vulcan placed in full reserve at Portsmouth, N. H., February 25.

The Somers has been detached from duty with Maryland naval militia and will be towed from Baltimore to the Norfolk yard by the Standish.

The Arkansas will remain at the New York yard under repair until April 1.

PRESIDENT WILSON GIVES THE LIE TO HUERTA

Mexican President Claims He Denied Permission For American Marines to Be Taken to Mexico City--Legation Guard Not Considered.

Mexico City, Feb. 26. Provisional President was not averse to having foreign countries send legation guards to Mexico City, and that the diplomatic representatives in Mexico City from practically all the Nations had recommended such action.

The United States has each time been advised previously of the intention of other countries to send marines to Mexico City and has offered no objections. Very recently President Wilson told others he saw no occasion to follow the action of other Nations in sending marines to Mexico City. It was stated today that his position was unchanged.

Officials here made it plain that they regarded such an announcement by Huerta as being made for its possible effect on the Provisional President's repeated assurances that foreigners are in no danger.

NO DECISION WAS REACHED

Washington Administration Has Been Considering the Advisability of a Legation Guard.

Washington, Feb. 26. For several days there has been considerable discussion in official circles about the sending of a legation guard to Mexico City similar to those sent by Great Britain and Germany, and while it is admitted that the Washington administration had been considering the advisability of such a step, it was positively stated that no decision in the matter had been reached.

It also has been reported here for some time that the Huerta Govern-

ment was not averse to having foreign countries send legation guards to Mexico City, and that the diplomatic representatives in Mexico City from practically all the Nations had recommended such action.

Another feature of the situation, which looks up as of commanding importance is the fact that the Benton incident promises to develop into a test of Carranza's authority and influence as chief of the Constitutional movement. Every sort of pressure is understood to be brought to bear on Carranza, both by Americans and Mexicans who have the confidence of Washington officials, with the purpose of impressing upon him the necessity of a clear and convincing explanation of all the circumstances surrounding the death of Benton.

If Carranza cannot obtain that from Villa, it is more than probable that relations with the former will be viewed by officials as of less importance hereafter.

Persons in a position to know the viewpoint of the President and his Cabinet officers say the disposition of the Administration is to insist upon the facts of the Benton episode, and possession of the body for medical examination, but that there is nothing yet to indicate a critical stage.

Another published report which attracted attention of officials was to the effect that the American garrison in Mexico City has been equipped with machine guns. The only arms there, it was said, are several rifles, imported just before the street fighting that ended in Madero's downfall.

GUNMEN TO BE EXECUTED IN APRIL

Washington Administration is Exerting It--If Benton's Body Isn't Produced He Loses Influence.

Washington, Feb. 26. The American Government is exerting every influence at its disposal to obtain from Gen. Villa the surrender of the body of William S. Benton, the British subject recently executed at Juarez. No body has been received to the investigating agent to General Letcher yesterday to find Benton's grave, and Sec. Bryan was surprised by news dispatched quoting Villa as saying Benton was buried in Chihuahua City. There have been persistent reports here, too, that the body was cremated.

Sec. Bryan conferred with President Wilson and said nothing new in the situation had developed. Official

The date was fixed by the Court of Appeals today.

FOR BECKER'S REMOVAL

Order of Court of Appeals Reaches

New York--He May Eat Dinner Tonight in the Tombs.

New York, Feb. 26.—The formal order of the Court of Appeals permitting the removal of Charles Becker from Sing Sing Prison to the Tombs in this city, preparatory to a new trial for him on the charge of instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, arrived here today. It was expected that Becker would eat his dinner tonight in the Tombs.

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SEE IF THE CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

Look Mother! If Tongue Is Coated

"Give California Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels

Mother! Your child isn't naturally

lazy and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign the little

stomach, liver and bowels need a

cleaning at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember a gentle Fig and bowel cleaning should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals California Syrup of Figs, for children's ills; give a teaspoonful and in a few hours all the foul waste gone like a fermenting food passes out of the system and you have a well and playful child again.

All children love its harmless, delicious fruit laxative, and it never fails to effect a good inside cleaning. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. Little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine, ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of California Syrup of Figs, then look and see that it is made by the California Fig Syrup Company. Counterfeits are being sold here. Don't be fooled.

"GLAD DAY" CELEBRATED.

Ex-Club of New Hampshire Daughters

Has Mrs. Eleanor H. Porter as Guest of Honor.

The Ex-Club of New Hampshire

Daughters, Mrs. Adelaide M. Gedding

president, had a "glad day" yesterday

at the Hotel Vendome, Boston, with

Mrs. Eleanor H. Porter as guest of

honor and several distinguished visi-

itors, including Miss Edna Dean Proctor, now in her 56th year, who came

from her home in South Framingham.

Mrs. Proctor is honorary vice president of the club. Mrs. John B. Smith, wife of the ex-Governor of New Hampshire; Mrs. Edna Miller and Mrs. Anna P. Bush, ex-presidents of New Hampshire Daughters Club, and Mrs. Sara F. Dearborn, president, attended.

Mrs. Gedding welcomed the guests

and Mrs. Proctor responded.

Elizabeth Dearborn sang a group of songs. Miss Barbara Miller entertained with an Irish monologue. Mrs. Porter played a piano solo selection and Miss Edna Dean Proctor read an original poem.

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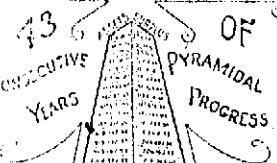
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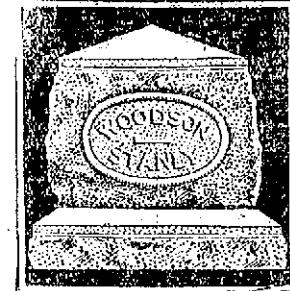


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PERSONAL ITEMS

The Herald is the live local paper.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch.

Tel. 168.

The female minstrel show will be a

big event.

Oysters, clams, and scallops at

Clark's Branch.

The Pythian Sisters will meet this

Friday evening.

Local snow shoes are having fine

sport these days.

The grange had a good time on

Thursday evening.

"Go-to-Church" Sunday March 8th,

the popular day.

What are you going to do on

self of during Lent.

Don't overlook the big pyrography

suite at Montgomery's.

Staddock, spoon, herring and salmon

at Clark's Branch.

The Herald of Thursday provided

some lively topics for conversation.

Upholstering, hair mattresses reno-

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John H. Dowd's Marble and Granite

Monumental Works, 52 Market Street.

Nice, juicy, California seedless oranges, 18 for 25c, guaranteed as repre-

sented, at Dede's.

Bargains in basswood articles to

burn. Big sale now on at Montgomery's.

There were six Cadillac automobiles

seen on the streets yesterday—two

brand new.

Beans and brown bread at food sale

Saturday, M. E. vestry, Miller avenue,

also cake, pies, etc.

The P. A. C. double quartette held

a rehearsal at the Sinclair Inn on

Wednesday evening.

Smells, ballast, isles of Shoals had

deck and coat at Clark's Branch.

Messers Dickey, Woods, Norton, and

Weaver are going to have a fine auto

show at the Motor Mart.

It commences to look like spring as

automobiles are arriving. A carload of

Cadillacs was received yesterday by C.

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Free demonstration of ear phones

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WANTED—Young man to learn op-

erating and to help about the theatre.

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Several from this city attended the

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at Rye Town Hall on Thursday even-

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LADIES SERVE
TURKEY DINNERSocial Circle of Universalist
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People.

The Ladies' Social Circle of the Universalist church conducted a most successful turkey dinner at the vestry of the church on Thursday noon from twelve to two. The appetizing menu embraced roast turkey, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, cranberry jelly, onions, celery, d'Anglaise plum pudding, hard sauce, mince, apple, custard, and lemon pies and coffee.

The committee in charge were Mrs. Charles Green, chairman; Mrs. George P. Whittier, Mrs. Porter Hanscom, Mrs. Albert Entwistle, Mrs. Andrew Wendell, Mrs. George Dixon, Mrs. Stacey Hall, Mrs. Fred Gray, Mrs. George Plaisted, Miss Florence Hanscom.

The corps of waitresses were, Mrs. Freeman Garrett, Mrs. Granville Blake, Miss Gammon, Mrs. Ella Sawyer, Mrs. Laskey, Mrs. Goodrich, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Harlow, Miss Ruth Wendell, and Miss Bertha Plaisted.

The carving was done by Andrew Wendell.

The dinner was a great financial success.

ENTERTAINED AT CARDS.

Mrs. F. E. Potter Gives En-
joyable Party on Thurs-
day Evening.

Mrs. F. E. Potter gave a card party at her home on Islington street on Thursday evening and was well attended, the guests including many people and their friends in this city. Auction bridge was enjoyed and a most fascinating game it proved to be. Major Thorpe and Colonel Taylor were awarded prizes for the highest scores.

At 9:30 a collation was served consisting of salads, rolls, crackers, nuts, tea, coffee and hot chocolate.

Page and Shaw's Son does and punch were served during the evening. A most delightful time was spent and Mrs. Potter proved an ideal hostess.

PLAYED WHIST.

Ladies of Strawberry Bank
Grange Hold Public
Whist Party.

Strawberry Bank Grange conducted a very successful whist party at K. G. E. Hall on Thursday afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30, at the conclusion of which prizes were awarded as follows:

First, chocolate pot—Mrs. John C. Shaw.

Second, fancy cake plate—Miss Mabel Moulton.

Third, sugar and cream set—Mrs. Ella Backett.

The committee in charge were Mrs. Fred T. Hartson, chairman; Mrs. Arthur Horner and Mrs. Frank McHugh.

SPOKE ON CIVIL WAR.

Patriotic Instructor Doolittle
Addresses Scholars of
Eighth Grade.

Comrade J. S. Doolittle, patriotic instructor of Storer Post, No. 1, G. A. R., addressed the scholars of Miss Standish's room at the high school this Friday morning. Comrade Doolittle has an interesting lot of reminiscences concerning the Civil war, and he relates them in such a manner as to keep his hearers interested all of the time. Storer Post is certainly fortunate in having so able a person for patriotic instructor.

GIRLS' CLUB NOTES.

The embroidery class met on Thurs-

day evening with thirty-two girls in attendance. Misses Ann Molloy and Fay Traeman were the hostesses. Most delicious candies, including

Judges, pempek, chocolates and stuffed dates were served.

On Saturday evening from 5 to 7, the monthly baked bean supper will be held in the club rooms. These bean suppers are very popular.

On Sunday from 3 to 5 o'clock, the club rooms will be open and a social will be held. All come on Sunday, girls.

FIGHT ON FOR
POSTMASTERSenator Hollis Credited With
a Hand in Dover Ap-
pointment.

According to the Dover correspondent of the Boston Globe, the appointment of postmaster for that city has been held up by Senator Henry F. Hollis. The appointment of ex-Mayor M. J. White was recommended by Congressman Eugene E. Reed. The letter claiming the hold-up is said to be in the hands of George H. Sherry, a Democratic representative and one of Mr. Hollis' chief lieutenants in the United States Senatorial fight at the last session of the legislature, who is also a candidate for the place. The letter states that before anything further is done toward filling the office the local situation will be looked into thoroughly by Mr. Hollis.

It is generally known that in recommending ex-Mayor White for the berth, Congressman Reed fulfilled a promise of long standing. Mr. White has felt confident from the first that he would be recommended and has not hesitated to tell the other aspirants for the office that the appointment was reasonably sure to fall to him.

Ever since the successful ending for Mr. Hollis of the famous Senatorial fight, however, the friends of Mr. Sherry have stuck to it that he ought to be rewarded with the postmaster's berth. It is stated that Mr. White was for Carr and had promised to turn the Dover legislative delegation over to him. Mr. Sherry had it said

for Hollis from beginning to end.

SPECIALS AT CATER'S MARKET.

37 Daniel St., Tel. 120.

Legs of best spring lamb, 22c; 1lb. forces of best spring lamb, 14c; 1lb. native fresh pork loins and shoulders; large Sunlight naval oranges, regular size, our price 25c; dog; medium size sweet naval oranges, 16c; extra large grape fruit, 3 for 25c; medium size grape fruit, 4 for 25c; pure honey in tumblers, only 10c; nice tub butter, only 30c; 1b. 3 cans clams for 25c; 3 cans corn for 25c; 3 cans tomatoes for 25c; 3 lbs. best seeded radishes, 25c; 3 cans large size Gordon's milk, 25c; 3 cans soup for 25c; bag seal of Minnesota flour, 7c; native dressed fowls, large capon chickens, sweet partridges, celery, lettuce and spinach. Remember our oranges and grape fruit are best quality, extremely low prices on box lots. Cater's Market, 37 Daniel street.

SUMMER COTTAGES AND
SEASHORE PROPERTY.

Applications are already coming in for cottages for the summer of 1914, from parties wishing to buy or rent.

We shall mail our 1914 list to all our address list in about three weeks. If you wish to get the best and earliest results, your property should be listed with us as soon as possible. Butler & Marshall, 5 Market street, Portsmouth, N. H. B. 226, 41

GENUINE BARGAINS FOR SATUR-
DAY AT BENFIELD'S.

Prunes, new lot, 4 lbs for 25c; new spuds, the qt., 30c; cans "Benfield's" baking powder, 1c; General Putman bread flour, 7c; bag: William Tell all-round flour, 7c; bag.

Oranges, 16c for 25c; extra large ones, 25c; 1lb. 3 lbs. Sunshine cakes, just in, 2 lbs for 25c; 3 lbs. pilot or soda crackers, 25c; Drake's sponge and pound cake, just in for Saturday's sale.

Just for fun we'll give you the following dollar combination for three-quarters of a dollar: Pkg. Wyandotte cleaner, 10c; can potash, 10c; stick macaroni, 10c; pkg. ironing starch, 10c; bag salt, 10c; tin baking powder, 10c; and a pound of good mixed tea, 40c.

Can you beat it? Tel. 177.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all who endeavored to lighten our sorrow caused by the death of Mrs. Amanda M. Jellison, to the friends and neighbors for timely aid, also to all who sent floral tributes.

MRS. AND MRS. P. R. JELLISON.

MRS. AND MRS. F. E. H. MARSHALL.

MRS. AND MRS. LEWIS B. MARSHALL.

NOTICE

Saturday at Remick's Shoe Store—Boys' short rubber boots, sizes 1 and 2, for \$2.00; sizes 3, 4 and 5, for \$2.25; A broken lot of men's \$4.50 tan button boots for \$3.50; misses' \$1.50 shoes for \$1.20; a lot of ladies' \$2.50 oxfords for only \$1.75.

BAKED BEAN SUPPER

The Girls' Club will hold its monthly Baked Bean Supper at Saturday, February 28, from 5 to 7. Price 25c.

WILL KEEP THE
QUESTION ALIVENew Bridge Across Piscataqua
River the All-Absorbing
Theme.

That article and picture of the proposed transportation system across the river certainly set the entire city talking last evening. It will keep the toll bridge question alive and the Herald has been bombarded all day with questions as to the plans, etc. The Herald is prepared to answer any question about the plans.

WHITE & HODGDON, TEL. 123.

Special for Saturday.
Small fancy pork loins.....19c lb.
Morrell sugar cured shoulders.....15c lb.
Pig pork fresh shoulders.....16c lb.
Loose bacon.....20c lb.
4 cans Van Camp's tomato and spaghetti.....25c
3 pkgs None Such or Very Best
minced meat.....25c
Best quality evaporated apples, 16c pkgs
2 cans Oswego Bartlett pears.....25c
3 cans strawberries or raspberries, 25c
Cream of rice flakes, 3 pkgs for.....25c
String beans, corn or peas, 3 cans 25c
New cabbage, cauliflower, string beans, dandelions, beet greens, ripe tomatoes and spinach. A small lot of young turkeys, fowl and chicken. Large fat country veal.

NOTICE.

"Plain People," given by the Rivermouth Dramatic Club, for benefit District Nursing Association, at Freeman's hall, March 12, 13. Tickets 35c.

NOTICE.

Dr. S. F. A. Pickering, Dentist
Is now located in his new office, 82 Congress street, nearly opposite his old office. Lady attendant, ch. fl. 1m.

P. A. C. MINSTRELS.

Monday and Tuesday ev'gs, Mar. 16, 17.

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Bath, Furnace, Excellent
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